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## **Sinopharm Tech Holdings Limited**

**國藥科技股份有限公司**

*(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)*

**(Stock Code: 8156)**

### **VOLUNTARY ANNOUNCEMENT UPDATE ON ANTI-COUNTERFEITING BUSINESS PROGRESS**

This announcement is made by Sinopharm Tech Holdings Limited (the “**Company**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) on a voluntary basis to keep the shareholders and potential investors of the Company informed of the latest business development of the Group.

The Company’s indirect wholly-owned subsidiary signed a commercial contract with Qinghai Yuteng Trading Co., Ltd. (青海御騰商貿有限責任公司), the general distributor of Anheuser-Busch InBev SA/NV for Qinghai province whereby the Group will supply the Guoke innovative anti-counterfeiting products (“**Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products**”) for beer products they distribute. With the signing of this contract, the coverage of Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products has expanded from the existing lines of tea leaves, natural food, cosmetics e-commerce platform and health food to beer industry.

Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products with patented technologies have four main features, namely, “anti-counterfeiting”, “credibility”, “marketing” and “social responsibility” while using the complete chain of anti-counterfeiting system together with anti-counterfeiting packaging and online anti-counterfeiting information verification platform as the core. Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products can perform with various functions and properties depending on different application scenarios, redefining the traditional anti-counterfeiting technology and attracting customers to actively participate in the authentication of products.

Interacting by code scanning has become a popular model for interactive marketing in the “Internet Plus” era, and is in harmony with beer consumption environment. Through the “Trio Code” entrance, consumers could easily enter the online anti-counterfeiting information verification platform, thus forming a closed loop of functions, such as authentication of products

and interactive marketing, thus creating new and unique ways of marketing. The application of Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products provides corporations that are in the heat of competition in the beer industry, with new perspective of marketing, enhancement in competitiveness from the new approach and stimulation of sales volume. The blending of the new concept in anti-counterfeiting with beer products creates a win-win situation for the cooperation between the Group and the distributor of beer, effectively expanding the potentials of both parties as well as the coverage of Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products.

As reported by Statista, a market and consumer data provider, in October 2021, revenue in the global beer market amounts to approximately US\$552.4 billion in 2021, the market is expected to grow annually by 9.13%, while China generated the highest amount of revenue (approximately US\$121.9 billion in 2021). The Group believes that there are huge market potentials in the beer industry for the Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products.

The Group through the Guoke Innovative Anti-counterfeiting Products is providing its customers with the tools to achieve a greater level of corporate social responsibility by promoting consumer protection as well as contributing to the social welfare, thereby taking on its own corporate social responsibility in a convenient way.

By order of the Board  
**Sinopharm Tech Holdings Limited**  
國藥科技股份有限公司  
**CHAN Ting**  
Chairperson

Hong Kong, 26 October 2021

*As at the date of this announcement, the Board comprises Mr. CHAN Ting, Mr. LIAO Zhe and Mr. CHEUK Ka Chun Kevin as executive Directors, Madam CHEUNG Kwai Lan and Dr. CHENG Yanjie as non-executive Directors and Mr. LAU Fai Lawrence, Dr. LIU Ta-pei and Mr. CHAU Wai Wah Fred as independent non-executive Directors.*

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